



**Manchester Arts Commission
Minutes | December 13 2010 | City Hall**

MAC call to order 5:30pm

Commissioners present: Ann Kelley, Elizabeth Hitchcock, Anthony Williams , James Chase, Tom Ford
Commissioner Crystal Nadeau unable to attend meeting.

A. Approved motions:

Commission motioned and approved MAC Commissioner Ann Kelley as Chairperson of MAC
Commission motioned and approved MAC Commissioner James Chase as Clerk of MAC
Commission motioned and approved MAC Commissioner Thomas Ford as Gallery Director of
MAC “Art on the wall”

Commission motioned and approved the new Manchester Arts Commission logo and font
created by James Chase

E. Funding:

look for possible partnership between MAC and local printshop
willing to sponsor print demands
such as letterheads, mayor's choice and people's choice ribbons & awards,
etc in trade for press and advertising on MAC information saying
“printing or show” sponsored by “Company name here”.

F. Potential projects/ ideas

F.1 Portable artwork displays which could be set up for short term display on either private
or public land. demonstrations, community art competitions “Art offs”

F.2 Community mural project: Anthony will complete a first draft for next meeting about
potential theme, location, and groups.

F.3 Contacting the MTA to see if there are lapsing times in bus stop advertising space to use as a
rotating art display cases “floating gallery space”.

F.4 Elizabeth mentioned MAC should look into grant writing for November 2011
NH state council for the Arts, National Endowment for the Arts

G. “Art on the Wall” at City Hall

G.1 Tom will schedule a pick up date for the Nov/Dec Artists and will touch base with all artists
Jan/Feb show, Still need 3 artists. James will post open call on MAC website and
Twitter, Artist Anne-Marie Swierz will stay on for the next show

G.2 Discussion about lighting in west wings. Tom will talk to maintenance and the mayor staff
so the March/ April show will shine.

G.3 Awards to be printed for

Nov. - Dec.

Anne-Marie Swierz - Mayor's Choice Award - " "

Tina Gagnon - People's Choice Award - "Red Pears"

Sept. – Oct.

Dachowski Photography - Mayor's Choice Award - "Portrait of Chief Kane"

H. Outgoing Commissioners

James will make exiting MAC commissioners Crystal Nadeau and Elizabeth Hitchcock
“Thank you” certificates to have the board sign.